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## MAYOR H. J. MONTGOMERY IS LIBERAL CANDIDATE

**Captain J. T. Shaw, Liberal Leader, and W. F. Puffer, of Lacombe, deliver strong campaign speeches. Resolutions adopted. New Officers are elected.**

H. J. Montgomery, mayor of Wetaskiwin and former representative in the legislature for this district, was the unanimous choice of the Liberal convention here on Friday afternoon last.

The nomination of Mr. Montgomery was beyond question a highly popular one with townspeople and farmers, many of the latter having come long distances to offer their support to the Liberal choice. Mayor Montgomery has made more than a local name for himself as a capable civic administrator and he was recognized as one outstanding legislator during his years of service at Edmonton where he presided over the important committee on municipal law.

When Mr. Montgomery declared that the Wetaskiwin district had been practically neglected in representation at Edmonton during the past five years, the big meeting applauded to the echo. He stressed the necessity of getting back to a system where members of the legislature gave their time and service to the people and needs of the constituency instead of merely going to the capital for a couple of months a year and piously assenting to a bewildering mass of legislation, most of which was vexatious and unnecessary.

Resolutions were passed expressing confidence in Premier King, Capt. J. T. Shaw, and voicing opposition to the system of government which has been in power at Edmonton during the past five years.

Before hearing from Capt. Shaw the big meeting listened to a forceful and well reasoned address from W. F. Puffer, Liberal candidate in the constituency of Lacombe.

Mr. Puffer spoke on the record of the former Liberal government, of which he was a member as representative of Lacombe, and related how services were provided and the whole system of buildings, roads, telephones and other facilities provided in the district of \$57,000,000, about which the Greenfield-Brownlee government constantly protested, notwithstanding the fact that they had increased this debt almost \$22,000,000 in five years and had practically nothing to show for it.

He defended the legislation of the governments prior to the year 1921 and compared the work they had accomplished, such as the erection of the parliament buildings, the hospital at Ponoka, the court houses through out the provinces, etc., with the reckless extravagance of the Progressives who have little or nothing to show for their large expenditures.

He had been an active U.F.A. worker until they entered politics, but he could not agree with their policy of permitting and encouraging large numbers of farmers who were not naturalized citizens, nor will many of them become naturalized, to vote for delegates to conventions and other gatherings and thus help to select the men who are endeavoring to ruin this country. He strenuously objected to aliens running the government.

Captain J. T. Shaw, leader of the Liberal party in the province, commended the gathering in unanimously choosing so able and experienced a man as Mr. Montgomery who as chairman of the municipal law committee when he was a member of the house, had rendered valuable service to the province. With unabated vigor, he used the hammer ram on the record of the Brownlee administration which had failed to meet conditions in a manner demanded by the people of the province and to bring down the burden of taxation.

He referred to the financial blunders of the government during the last five years, with deficits of more than \$5,000,000 in four years and a budget of \$11,500,000 income and \$2,500,000 capital borrowings all spent during 1925. He showed how the so-called surplus of \$18,000,000 last year was fictitious and merely a matter of bookkeeping, but if granting for the sake of argument that there was a surplus the government had not made even a gesture at tax reduction. During the five years the tax burden had been increased to the point where the very sources of taxation threatened to dry up and the government in helplessness still searched out further avenues which might be tapped. The Brownlee government and the Conservative party in this election

are very much alike, Mr. Shaw observed, in that they are wandering about apparently without aim or purpose, looking at the past and having no plans or policies for the future. We have the spectacle of Conservative K.C.'s from Calgary acting as a flying squadron for the party and rushing out to advise the farmers what to do in this election. They are the same gentlemen who a few months ago were telling the people of this province that the west should bend its neck to the yoke of high tariff. They fought a losing cause then, and their effort is hopeless now.

Again the Liberal leader deplored the spectacle of a government which came back to the electors with one premier deposed, unable to face again his constituents in Peace River and waiting for the crumbs that might fall from the table in the way of an appointment overseas; of the minister of public works unable to find a seat where re-election was possible, and of a barrister practically unknown in the province being called in as attorney general.

After depicting how the Greenfield-Brownlee administration had failed consistently and diametrically to cut through the major problems of the last five years and iron out difficulties facing the people, Capt. Shaw outlined his clear-cut trenchant plan for readjusting affairs and inaugurating a system of sound business administration in Alberta's central offices at Edmonton. The structure he drafted in general detail for the benefit of the audience was listened to with the closest attention and obtained an enthusiastic endorsement at the close of the hour's speech.

Captain Shaw repeated his pledge that as far as the Liberal government was concerned every possible effort would be given to the pools and no interference with them would be allowed. However, he declared their being brought into politics and stated that no government or no party could take credit for the formation of the pools, which were the effort of the farmers themselves.

"It is true that an attempt is being made to drag them into politics to-day, but in that way lies their undoing," he said. "It is no friend of the pools who will deliberately throw them into the whirlpool of partisan politics, for that means the beginning of the end for them."

**Officers Elected**  
 The election of officers resulted as follows:

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**H. J. MONTGOMERY**  
 Unanimously chosen as the Liberal candidate on Friday last.

## CONTINENT JOINS KIWANIS TRIBUTE UNITED GOODWILL

Montreal, June 8.—Montreal, cradle of the white man's civilization some 400 years ago, opened its historic gates of welcome to 7,500 Kiwanians today who had travelled from every conceivable place on the North American continent to meet here for the 10th annual convention of Kiwanis International this week. Crowding the city's immense auditorium "Forum" last night, 10,000 Canadian and American Kiwanians and visitors attended the opening "All Kiwanis Night" program, while millions of radio listeners in the United States and Canada heard the international expression of gratitude for the friendship, peace and understanding that has existed between the two countries for more than a hundred years.

While 7,500 delegates and visiting Kiwanians paid their homage in this city, one hundred thousand other members scattered in cities from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and the Gulf of Mexico to the far north across the miles of expense of the Canadian provinces, met simultaneously during the opening convention hour to observe a continent-wide fellowship spirit of understanding. Radio broadcasting brought the program to members thousands of miles from Montreal.

## KIWANIS KARNIVAL WILL GO OVER BIG

Every member of the Kiwanis Club is now very much interested and is doing his share to make the Karnival, which is to be held on June 29th & 30th & July 1st, at the curling rink a big success. All the committees are active, and the advertising matter will be ready for distribution in a few days.

The sports committee is planning to have three days of sport, one of the features of which will be baseball tournament. Other attractions will be announced later. There will be a monster parade and a number of free shows, as well as the booths where games of different kinds will be played—including house-houses, drawing for blankets, dolls and novelties of every description as well as refreshments. A good floor will be constructed in part of the building, and a fifty dance will be held each of the three nights. Free stunts of different kinds will be staged. There will be fun and frolic for all.

Remember the dates and plan to be in Wetaskiwin at that time to assist the Kiwanis Club in their laudable efforts to raise sufficient funds to complete the community swimming pool.

## THE ELKS TO HELP SWIMMING POOL

The local Elks are giving a novelty dance in their hall on the evening of June 11th, the gross proceeds of which will be turned in to the Swimming Pool fund, being sponsored by the Kiwanis Club here.

The committee in charge are leaving nothing undone to make this the summer dance of the season and as the cause is a very praiseworthy one it is hoped that our citizens will keep the date in mind and favor the Elks with their patronage on that night. Remember "Bills" we want the whole gang there to pep things up and put it over right.

Frank Bentley; Star, P. E. Ringwald; Frank Lake east, C. J. Hiltner; Buck Lake, Roy Gibbons; Pineville, —; Penderly, —.

## COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS ADDRESSED CLUB

Mr. C. A. Davidson, highway commissioner for Alberta, was the speaker at the Kiwanis Club luncheon Tuesday evening, and he interestingly referred to the work the government is doing on the highways to put them in good condition for both tourist and commercial traffic. In a short time motor trucks will be real contenders against the railways for commercial business, and at the present time passenger buses are scheduled between Calgary and Banff, and between High River and Calgary. The government must sustain traffic roads for this business as well as for general use, but the commission is handicapped as the appropriation for this work is not large enough.

A certain type of road is being constructed from north of Edmonton south to the international boundary which, when completed, will be an inducement for the tourist to come to northern Alberta, and Wetaskiwin will share with the other commercial centres in the benefit to be derived from this business. But considerable difficulty is being encountered, as there are eighteen different kinds of soil, ranging all the way from glacio drift to sand, between Edmonton and Calgary. The grade is allowed to settle for a time before the gravel is put on, as it is impossible to gravel a new road. The first coating is about four inches, and later a finishing dressing of two inches is used. On account of the expense, the roads cannot be rolled.

The speaker advised that all motorists drive over the road at a moderate speed and be courteous to all motorists. By doing this the roads would soon be packed down, and it would put money in the pockets of the ratepayers. This year the government has a more ambitious program than formerly as graveling has to be done and the roads have to be dressed. "The cobble" has been let for the handling of 30,000 yards of material between Edmonton and Lacombe, as well as the laying of thirty-three miles of gravel.

The road from the international boundary to north of Edmonton will be finished in 1927, and the speaker prophesied that in the next two years the tourist traffic would be increased by 500 per cent, while the commercial traffic would be 100 per cent greater than it is today.

President Bob Manley presided, and there were quite a number of visitors.

## PREMIER HERE NEXT WEEK

Premier Brownlee will address a meeting in the Angus Theatre on Wednesday evening of next week, June 16th, at 8:30 p.m. E. E. Sparks, the member for Wetaskiwin, and others, will also speak.

## OBITUARY

### MRS. GILMOUR

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Gilmour, widow of the late James Gilmour, ex-M.P. of Middlesex county, Ontario, passed away after a short illness, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Odell, of this city, on Saturday morning last.

Mrs. Gilmour was 81 years of age and has lived in Wetaskiwin for the past nine years. She is survived by four children, Mrs. W. H. Odell, Andrew Gilmour, ex-M.L.A., of Lacombe, and John Gilmour, also of Lacombe.

A private funeral service was conducted at the house by Rev. A. L. Elliott on Monday evening, after which the remains were taken to the station to be sent east for interment in the family plot in the Dorchester cemetery, near London, Ontario. The pallbearers were: Messrs. G. F. Root, G. D. Wallace, Dr. Robertson, L. G. Kelley, C. H. Russell and H. J. Montgomery.

### GOOD LAND SALE

George F. Root disposed of a section of land two miles from Olds a few days ago for the sum of \$50.00 on easy terms. The land is unimproved, but is considered to be one of the best sections in the district.

### UNITED CHURCH PICNIC

The Sunday school of the First United church, Wetaskiwin, will hold their annual picnic on Wednesday, June 23rd, at 4 p.m. at the exhibition grounds, Wetaskiwin.

It is reported that the ground in the Fulton district was white with snow Tuesday evening, and that there was about two inches of snow at the railway camps west of Wetaskiwin on Wednesday morning.



**DR. WADE OF HANNA**  
 IS FIRST PRESIDENT  
 OF CANADIAN LEGION

Calgary, June 5.—Election of officers and discussion of policy were the items on the agenda at the concluding day's session of the first provincial convention of the newly formed Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League, the new association which is hoped will embrace under the one head all returned men's organizations in Canada.

Dr. G. H. Wade, mayor of Hanna, was the unanimous choice of the convention for the presidency. Col. F. C. Jamieson, of Edmonton, was elected vice president, and Alex. Walker, former president of the G.W.V.A., was appointed chairman and representative of the Alberta branch on the Dominion executive of the Canadian Legion. Art. Wakeley, former secretary of the G.W.V.A., was appointed permanent secretary.

Honorary officials chosen were: President, Col. E. G. Sanders, C.M.G., D.S.O., who has been trustee and chairman during the convention; hon. vice presidents, Geo. W. Walstell, Edmonton; Irig. Gen. J. Stewart, Lethbridge; Col. W. W. Gibson, Calgary; Capt. C. S. Pringle, Medicine Hat; hon. chaplains, Capt. W. H. Muncester, Calgary; Capt. J. P. Gerrie, Edmonton; Canon Montgomery, of Banff; Capt. Robt. Pearson, Lethbridge; Rev. H. Watson, Medicine Hat.

## TELEPHONE POLES GO DOWN PONOKA - LACOMBE

Windsor or a cyclonic nature visited the districts between Wetaskiwin and Red Deer Tuesday night shortly before sunset and did great damage to telegraph and telephone poles in the areas affected.

The Alberta government telephone system was the hardest hit and more than a mile of poles were leveled when they were struck by the gale soon after six o'clock.

The centre of the storm was between Ponoka and Lacombe but there was also some trouble south of Red Deer. Groves were put out at once on repair work and this morning the lines had been partially cleared.

Heavy rains were reported in many districts all over the northern and central portion of the province. Rain began shortly before seven o'clock at Wetaskiwin and a heavy down-pour was also reported from Banff. Snowfalls are reported at Whitecourt and at some points in the districts north of Peace River.—Journal.

### BABY CLINIC

The Women's Institute of Wetaskiwin district will hold a baby clinic in the hospital here on Saturday, June 19, commencing at 10 a.m., conducted by Dr. Jenkins, medical inspector, assisted by Dr. J. C. Shillabeer and a nurse from the department. This clinic is conducted absolutely free of charge, and all parents in the community are urgently requested to take advantage of this opportunity of having their children examined.

### U.F.A. LEAGUE STANDING

The following is the standing of the U.F.A. baseball league to date:

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Duhamel	3	0	1000
Gwynne	2	1	666
Bear's Hill	1	2	333
Malmo	1	2	333
Cherry Grove	1	3	250

The Willing Workers will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. S. Smith on Tuesday, June 15th, at 4 p.m.

## McGILLIVRAY EXPOSES INEFFICIENCY OF GOVT.

**Conservative leader charges U.F.A. Government with failure to deal with Redistribution, Natural Resources, Railways and Finance. Mr. Inglis speaks.**

The following is a report of the meeting held on Thursday evening last in the interests of John P. Inglis, Conservative candidate, which we have taken from the Calgary Herald: Firing passing broadsides at the neglect and the waste of old Liberal administrations, A. A. McGillivray, K.C., leader of the provincial Conservative party, exposed what he described as the stupidity and inefficiency of the present U.F.A. government at the first of a present series of three meetings in northern ridings when he spoke at the Angus theatre Wetaskiwin on Thursday evening in support of the candidature of John P. Inglis.

In his address, which was a masterful summary of the political situation in Alberta at the present time, Mr. McGillivray charged the U.F.A. government with failure in dealing with four of the greatest problems that faced them when they took office. In the matter of redistribution, natural resources, northern railways and finance, said the Conservative leader, the present government had failed in respect to each of them. He said that the U.F.A. government had done nothing more than a gesture of economy, had added to the public debt of the province, and only met a deficit with the aid of greatly increased revenue. He charged them with indifference to immigration, the greatest need of the province today.

During the meeting, Mr. Inglis made a brief address in which he put forward his political beliefs in simple forcible language. George F. Root, chairman of the meeting, spoke highly of Mr. Inglis' record as a private citizen and a soldier during the great war. The introduction of the chairman gave Mr. McGillivray his first subject of the evening. In regard to the Alberta wheat pool he wanted to make it clear that he had been paid for the legal service that he rendered when the pool was being organized. But he protested that Mr. Hoadley, one of the first to say that the pool should be kept out of politics, should drag it in on the first opportunity that offered in the present campaign.

Mr. McGillivray went on to describe how Aaron Sapro had been brought to Alberta at the expense of the Calgary Herald and Edmonton Journal, two papers supporting the provincial Conservative party, and how his visit was responsible for the pool being organized.

But, he continued, by all means, keep the pool out of politics. "We claim no credit; it was not mentioned until Mr. Hoadley brought it in as one of the political devices of which he is so fond." Speaking of the U.F.A. policies, Mr. McGillivray again emphasized the fact that a vote for the Conservative party did not mean putting the U.F.A. out of business, as it was an organization that might accomplish much for the good of Alberta farmers, an organization that should not be sacrificed on the altar of political ambition.

Will Mr. Inglis be any less of a lawyer if he sits beside Lawyer Brownlee? asked Mr. McGillivray. Hon. George Hoadley, continued the speaker, had referred to the campaign funds of the old parties. When Mr.

Hoadley suggests either by inference or otherwise that the provincial Conservative party has a campaign fund, he is either ignorant or he lies, declared Mr. McGillivray.

The work of the party was being done, and the small expenses incurred in the campaign were being met by men who were devoted to the cause of the reborn Conservative party in Alberta, a party that now had fifty-one candidates in the field in the province.

Disposing of the long record of the Liberal party in Alberta, Mr. McGillivray mentioned its railway adventures and what he described as Liberalism right up to the minute of the Esbide Press disclosures. The record of the Liberal party was too long, and the memory of the people too good, he declared for it to be returned. Referring to the record of the U.F.A. government, he explained how they played at redistribution, eliminating one seat in northern Alberta, then the sitting member died, and making a safe seat for Hon. Percy Baker in his own backyard. Now, he continued, Mr. Brownlee told his audiences that he would tackle the question as soon as he was returned.

The U.F.A. party promised to do it in 1921. The Conservative party believed that the U.F.A. party in the legislature were quite enough, they believed that a scientific redistribution should be worked out by a non-political committee in order to arrive at a real redistribution, not a gerrymander. The present premier of the province, continued the speaker, had not been elected on a platform of redistribution of the province's money without even taking the matter to the courts.

The Conservative party, he said, advocated finding out what the railway was worth before writing off the loss and making a fair offer to either of the two great transcontinental systems, thus cutting off the continuous and ever increasing drain on this source.

Describing the negotiations carried on by Premier Greenfield and later by Premier Brownlee for the return of the natural resources, something that the Conservative party had stood for since the province was formed, Mr. McGillivray said that the Liberal government had played with the Alberta resources. He said it was only through the political stupidity of Mr. Brownlee that he was led into the embarrassing situation of piloting a bill through two readings in the legislature and then finding out that he could not accept its provisions. The premier's answer should have been "no" in the first place.

Mr. McGillivray went on to deal with the financial record of the Liberal administrations, and told how the present government had continued to add to the province's obligations. He said that they had only been able to wipe off a deficit of \$600,000 after increasing revenues more than \$3,000,000 since taking office. He described their economies as gestures, and was sceptical of their promised savings. They may even go so far, he said, might the laughter of the audience, as to ask John P. Inglis, that George Hoadley has appointed to look after sick bees.

He concluded with the statement that Alberta's greatest needs were capital and more people. The province had the right to help itself in immigration and should do so. He said that the Liberal government had failed in its promise of economy, the trouble with the U.F.A. administration was that its members did not realize that they were not making a safe seat for Hon. Percy Baker in his own backyard. He believed that the members of the legislature should set an example of economy by reducing their own indemnities.

## SCHEDULE OF GAMES FOR U.F.A. LEAGUE

Date	Game
June 12—	Gwynne at Bear's Hill.
June 19—	Cherry Grove at Duhamel.
June 26—	Duhamel at Malmo.
June 26—	Duhamel at Cherry Grove.
June 26—	Malmo at Bear's Hill.
July 3—	Gwynne at Duhamel.
July 10—	Bear's Hill at Gwynne.
July 10—	Malmo at Cherry Grove.

The four Wetaskiwinians, namely, Ben Farnham, Jean Robinson, Dorothy Reist and Maile Smithson, who have been attending the Camrose normal school, returned home last week. Pearl Moore, Edna Miquen, and Roger Dickson, who were attending normal at Calgary, have also returned home. The other Wetaskiwin student, Cecilia Penton, is remaining in Calgary.



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## THE KEEPER OF THE BEES

By GENE STRATTON PORTER

(Continued from last week)

Jamie was walking along the beach that afternoon with the Little Scout scuffling along beside him.

"If you've not been home since breakfast," said Jamie, when they were finally seated on the throne facing the ocean, "if you haven't been home since breakfast, Jean—"

"Who told you my name was Jean?" cut in the Little Scout.

"Doctor Grayson," said Jamie. "He told me at the hospital this morning that your name was Jean McReid."

"What else did he blab about me?" inquired the Little Scout. "It was evident to Jamie that the whole of the small figure beside him was suddenly imbued with defiance, drawn up for battle."

"He didn't say anything," said Jamie "except that you would have the sense to accept a very wonderful gift that's going to be offered to you."

"Is it a horse?" asked the Little Scout instantly, the defiance beginning to fade.

"No," said Jamie. "It's something worth more than a great many horses. Never mind that right now. There is something else I want to tell you. I just came from the hospital."

Slowly the young person drew away from Jamie. Slowly the gray eyes widened. Slowly the hands clenched. Slowly the narrow chest heaved up and sank back again.

"Aw!" said the youngster, harshly, "aw! he ain't gone and slept the beautiful sleep, has he?"

Jamie sat still and looked out across the ocean. It was a blow he found himself powerless to deliver. Slowly his eyes turned to the horrified face of the child beside him, and suddenly the Little Scout launched a quivering figure into his arms and burst a quivering cry from his breast and for a short time Jamie had difficulty in holding the writhing body in his arms together.

"Don't!" begged Jamie. "Don't take it like that!"

Jamie fumbled for his handkerchief and turned the Little Scout's head and wiped the streaming eyes and cupped a big hand under the quivering cheeks and held on tight.

"You are tearing yourself to pieces! The Master wouldn't like it. Don't you know that you said all the angels would be glad when they saw your Aunt Beth coming marching, straight and tall with a sure step, down the flower ways of heaven? It's going to be like that with the Bee Master. You are selfish when you cry like that. You are not thinking about him; you are thinking about yourself."

Instantly the Little Scout straightened.

"Sure, I'm thinking about myself! Why shouldn't I? I got myself to live with, haven't I? Who's going to be hurt when I've got a pain or ache strong enough to handle the Pat Pat, or when I can't make anybody understand any of the things that he always did understand? He ain't the only one that split the beams. When he told me there was to be a tell about things that went wrong with him and the people who ruined him, he didn't do all the talking. He knew just as much about me as I did about him, and now I ain't got a living soul to go to that'll understand! What am I going to do? Just answer me that! What am I going to do?"

Suddenly Jamie found himself taking the youngster face before him between his hands; he found himself laying it against his face, first on one side and then on the other; he found himself hugging the frail body until he knew he was almost cracking the bones in it, and deep and husky he heard his own voice saying: "You come straight to me!"

"Hug me to God!" said the Little Scout. "Tear out your heart, cut it in pieces, and cast it to the four winds of the heavens!"

"Whose lodge ritual have you been reading?" asked Jamie.

"Dad's," said the Little Scout, calmly "only we made ours as much worse as we could." Then his fingers tightened again.

"Honest?" On the level, do you really mean it?"

"Honest. On the level. Swear over my heart," said Jamie. "Hold up your right hand and take the oath before the Almighty! I'll always be your friend. I'll keep any secret you tell me. I'll do anything in all the world that I can at any time, at any place, to help you."

A steady hand was thrust at him. "Shake!" said the Little Scout. "All that goes for me. All what you said about me. I'll say about you. I'll come to you like I been going to the Bee Master. We'll be partners like him and me was. I'll help you all I can. But, say, what's going to be come of the bees? What's going to be come of that nice house?"

Jamie hesitated. Someone had to tell the child. They were there. It was his opportunity. He wanted a childish viewpoint. Why not?

So he said quietly: "Would you believe there is anyone in all the world that the Bee Master loved any better than he did you?"

"I don't have to waste any breath

on explaining beliefs on that point," said the Little Scout. "I got a whole information, and I got it from the Great Mogul; I got it from the Man Higher Up; I got it right against the Bee Master's heart; I got it with a tight-kiss and it's a secret I ain't tellin' anybody except the man that takes his place. Rememberer you're under oath and this is the first one I'm going to tell you because it was our secret between us. There might have been folks that wouldn't have liked it if they'd known it. Margaret Cameron wouldn't have liked it for one, 'cause I've got my doubts if she cared any more about Lolly than she did about the Bee Master. What I know about her, the way she cleaned after him and waited on him! I guess I seen Mother cottoning up to Dad. I guess I know a little about married folks, and I ain't I know about her is that she'd have been liked to please if the Bee Master had said to her 'Will you?' You just bet she'd have 'wilted!' She'd have 'wilted' all over him. But he didn't ever ask her, and he didn't never intend to ask her. He never loved any woman in all the world but Highland Mary, and he let one other woman make a fool of him when he was so lonesome after she was gone, like a chicken trying to peruse around with his head cut off. Say! That's a secret, too! I seem to be spillin' all I know on you at once. No, Margaret Cameron needn't ever think it was her he liked best, 'cause it wasn't. It was just 'as is' little old me! And I know because he said so! And he wouldn't have to say so if he didn't want to. Nobody asked him. Nobody pushed him off the springboard. He took the high dive all by himself."

"Well then," said Jamie, "if he loved you like that, and you know he loved you like that, and if he was going on this long journey, and had something very dear for him to leave, who do you think would be the person to whom he would leave it?"

"Why, he'd just naturally leave it to me!"

Calmly, casually, convincingly, the words came from lips of assurance. "He'd leave it to me, and maybe he'd leave some to you, because you stuck on the job when you wasn't hardly able, and you faced down the bees like a real man would, and you been square about taking care of things."

"Well, said Jamie, 'you're a good guesser, Jean! That's exactly what the Bee Master has done. He's left a writing that Doctor Grayson thinks will hold in the courts, and this writing says that the west acre of the garden of wonder up there, and the hives that are on it, are yours and the east acre and the hives that are on it, are mine. For yourself, you are free to do whatever you and your parents think best. For me, it seems to be a gift I cannot accept."

"How come?"

"The Little Scout shot the phrase at Jamie forcefully.

"Why I haven't done anything to earn it," said Jamie. "All I've done here is not a drop in the bucket compared with the value of an acre of land down that slope, planted as it is, peopled with the bees. It's simply stepping into a home and a comfortable living and a profession that I feel sure I have brains enough to master with a few years of loving and painstaking work, and there are all the books I need and all the material I need, and the name of a man who will help me. It's too easy! It's a fairy tale! It's a dream! Things do not happen that way in real life!"

Jamie arose and took the Little Scout by the hand.

"Come on, Jean," he said, "let's go home."

The Little Scout bounded expertly from crag to crag down the rock in front of him and waited for him at the base.

"You seem to like my name."

"Well," said Jamie, "there couldn't be a lovelier name. It's something to know about you definitely, and at that it doesn't tell me whether you are a boy or a girl."

"Still harpin' on that old nonsense thing, are you?" demanded the little person. "Still fussin' with trifles when you are satisfied with the big thing. If I'm your partner and you're the keeper of my secrets, and we've got home together, ain't that enough for you?"

"That ought to be enough for any man," answered Jamie.

So they started up the path toward the back gate.

Halfway up the Little Scout paused and looked at Jamie speculatively. "Am I to call you the Bee Master now?"

"No," said Jamie. "You aren't going to call me the Bee Master, maybe not for long years yet. The Bee Master is a title that has to be won by pains taking work and fine thought and delicate operations. It's a title that properly belonged to the man who's sleeping now. He could wear it with grace and dignity. It's too big to fill my case. We'll have to find a title for me that means stumbling along plainly and simply, every day studying my job and putting the best I have to give to them, just sticking on the job because I like it, as you told me I would."

"Aw," said the Little Scout, roughened with emotion, "they didn't go and send him right away did they. They didn't not give me a chance? They didn't let somebody else fix him?"

Jamie straightened up.

"Honey," he said, "I'm afraid they did."

"Well, I call that a dirty gig!" sobbed the Little Scout. "It ain't givin' the Bee Master any show, and it ain't giving me any show! When he liked me the best, he would have wanted me to fix him. Mother would have come with me and so would Dad. Doctor Grayson knew all about me, and I'm going to tell him what I think of that kind of business! I've called him on the phone maybe half a dozen times and got him here and run as tight as I could lick to get what he wanted and to heat water and to help him. He knew damn well who the Bee Master would want to fix him up to go to see God! It ain't fair!"

Then the little person collapsed and Jamie had his chance at comforting.

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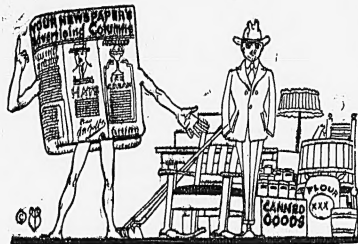
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THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 1926

## Attend

## The Meetings.

For the next few weeks the province will be passing through a general election. With three parties entered in the contest in a large percentage of the constituencies throughout the province it is only to be expected that more than the usual number of public meetings will be called in all the centres. At these meetings the candidates and their supporters will outline their respective policies and discuss questions of interest to the general public. For this reason all should take advantage of every opportunity to attend these meetings so as to be in a better position to vote intelligently on election day.

We would especially draw the attention of the young people to these meetings and urge upon them the advisability of being present at them. They should prove educative as well as instructive to all concerned.

In the Wetaskiwin constituency the three candidates are John F. Inglis, Conservative; H. J. Montgomery, Liberal; and E. E. Sparks, Progressive. All three are capable men who are well and favorably known, the being the case, the voters will be largely influenced by the policies, parties and platforms which they represent and advocate. The only way to get the information necessary to permit one to vote intelligently is to turn out to the meetings and hear the candidates themselves.

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The feeds and methods of feeding outlined below have given excellent results at the Brandon experimental farm. The losses of young chicks have been remarkably low and rapid growth has been obtained. The young chicks are not given any feed for at least six hours after coming out of the shell. The first meal consists of lukewarm water to drink and coarse sand or chick grit and granulated charcoal fed on small pieces of bread or cardboard. A few hours later a small quantity of finely cracked wheat or reliable, commercial chick feed is given in the same manner. Porridge oats are usually fed alternately with the above after the first meal.

Beginning with the third day the chick feed is fed in the litter of chaff or cut straw in the brooder. Frequent feeding of small amounts keeps the chicks actively in search of food and has given the best results. It is the practice to feed six or seven times per day during the first ten days.

Dry mash made up of a mixture of different meals is excellent for promoting rapid growth but care must be exercised in its use when the chicks are very young. The plan followed is to allow the young chicks access to the mash for about ten minutes three times on the sixth day and gradually increase the time and frequency of feeding until the chicks are ten days old when it is safe to keep it before them continuously. The following mixture has proven very satisfactory as a dry mash.

Bran—2 parts  
Middlings—2 parts  
Oat meal—2 parts  
Corn meal—6 parts  
Beef scrap—1 part  
Bone meal—1 part.

Best results are obtained by feeding the hard chick feed first in the morning and then feeding alternately with the dry mash. The last feed in the evening is also chick feed. Chick grit and charcoal are kept before the chicks continuously when they are under brooder conditions. Butter-milk has been found valuable, it is best fed sour and should be kept before them. Fresh green food, such as sprouted oats, is fed after the chicks are four or five days old.

## The Keeper of the Bees

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By and by, when both of them were calmer, they sat on the bench side by side and dried their eyes on the same handkerchief.

"Did he divide things the way you'd like to have 'em?" asked the small person, in abrupt change, as was habitual. "Did he give you the side of the garden you'd most rather have?"

"Why I'm perfectly satisfied," said Jamie. "I don't see any difference." "I do," said the little Scout. "If I'd got to take my choice, I'd 'a' said the east side."

"What difference does it make," asked Jamie. "There are as many bees on the west side as on the east side. If there aren't, we'll count 'em and make them exactly even. I'm perfectly willing to move the Black Germans over and give you them as a bonus. Was it the Black Germans you wanted?"

"No," said the little person, "it isn't the Black Germans I want. It is the Madonna Illies. I can beat the bees 'em every time. I just love to see the honey out of 'em. It's the real thing, straight from the fountain and I like the real thing! And that panel of fence where we make the Raskins bite the dust, I'd like to have that mighty well."

"But won't a west panel do as well?" "Oh, I reckon it'll do well. The only difference is that I ain't used to the west panel and I am to the east, but I reckon we could use the west just as well."

"The little person looked at Jamie appreciatively. "I'm kind of disappointed in you," Jamie said straight. "I don't know what I've done," he said. "That's just exactly it," said the little Scout. "Ain't anything you've done. It's something you didn't do. When you said it didn't make any difference to you, and I showed you good and plain that it made the difference of the Madonna Illies and our Indian ambush to me, you might have offered to trade with me! Probably I wouldn't 'a' done it. Probably I wouldn't 'a' done anything but what the Bee Master wanted me to have."

Probably I would 'a' saved up my money and got some Madonna Illies and planted 'em on my side for myself, but I thought you'd offer to trade. Slowly Jamie digested this.

"I beg your pardon," he said. "That must have been a thoughtless streak in me. My head is a lot older than yours and I knew that we couldn't trade without going to court and having measurements and making out checks and paying officers for making the change, and I suspect that knowledge kept me from saying that I'd trade when it really wouldn't make any difference if you had both of them."

"But I wouldn't have both of them," said the small person promptly. "If the Bee Master had said both of 'em were for me, I wouldn't have taken but half, because it wouldn't be very square, when I asked you to stay and did all I could to get you to stay. It wouldn't be fair to take all of it."

"What was it you especially wanted?" asked Jamie.

"What's the use to tell if I can't get it?" said the disgruntled little person. "What would you think I'd want?"

"Well," said Jamie, "if I was taking a random shot at it, I'd say you would want a horse."

"You said it, son!"

The little Scout Master leaped into the air.

"You said it! If I ever wanted anything, if I ever really wanted anything in this world, I want a horse!"

"Well," said Jamie, "never having met your father and mother, I don't know, but judging from the tones of your mother's voice over the phone when she talked with me—"

"Yes, I know her telephone voice," said the small person. "I like it myself. I stand and listen sometimes when she's talking! Just to see how much sweetness can be put into the way she says things."

"And about your father, because he is your father, I'd think it would be my judgment, that if this money and this land is a gift to you from the Bee Master, I should think—"

"Of course you should!" interrupted the little Scout.

"If you think they would not agree to your having a horse in town don't say anything about it. Let's just keep it under our hats and see what we can figure out ourselves."

"All right," said the little person. "I won't say a word to them. We'll see what we can figure out. And I believe now that I'd better go home. Maybe Doctor Grayson telephoned to Dad. Maybe he's waiting for me."

## Chapter 14

Only a short time was required for the settlement of the estate of the Bee Master. All he owned was the two acres of mountain side and beach and the money that he had deposited in the Citizen's Bank. Because he was so thoroughly familiar with the Bee Master's wishes, Doctor Grayson consented to act as executor. The determination as to whom the house should belong had been decided after the manner prescribed, and it had fallen to Jamie. It was agreed that the house should be appraised, its value should be set aside to accrue interest for the little Scout until such time as it was desirable to erect another house on the west acre. It was agreed that the home should remain where it was until Jamie desired to move it. A fund sufficient to cover a contractor's estimate of this expense was set aside to Jamie's credit. The little Scout was to have the complete furnishings of the combined library and living room on demand. The remaining money in the bank was divided equally, Jamie's half being set aside to his credit, the little Scout's to begin compounding interest until legal age was attained. The proceeds from the honey and the garden were to be divided equally after the wages of any help employed had been deducted, the child's share to be placed in the bank. The Bee Master was reaping the reward that the Almighty has in store for a man who has kept the faith and from his earthly opportunities has made of himself a scholar and a gentleman.

Jamie said frankly to Doctor Grayson, to the father of the little Scout, to the probate judge, that he could not feel that he had any right to a half interest in the garden of the bees. Under pressure, he agreed to assume the responsibility of taking care of the same tentatively, but he said firmly that if any relative of the Master's nearer kin turned up and claimed the land, he should abdicate immediately. For this he was rated roundly by three very intelligent business men. Doctor Grayson pointed out that the Bee Master knew what relatives he had and where they were, and if he had desired that they should possess his property, he would have left it to them. Mr. Meredith said that he was only slightly acquainted with the Bee Master, but it was his opinion that he was a highly cultured gentleman, that he knew his own mind, that his brain was extremely clear, and what he had seen fit to do with his own property was good enough for him. The probate judge said business was business. The records to the property were clear; the beneficiaries were before him; there was nothing on his part to be done but to follow the customary processes of the law. Whether Jamie wanted it

or not, the east acre of the garden was his. It was up to him to assume the responsibility of ownership.

So Jamie went back to the garden, his mind in the turmoil of bewilderment. There was much sprinkling to be done and he could think while he sprinkled. He could wonder why things happened as they did as he trimmed shrubs and used a hoe. When it came to caring for the bees, they received his undivided interest. But when he had accomplished all the work that he had been doing daily in the garden, then he applied himself to the regime of diet and exercise that he and Margaret Cameron had evolved.

He was not responsible for his mind in those days. It flew off at queer tangents, and he found himself developing a habit, when he had any time of leisure, of taking a look and from the shade of a certain orange tree at the foot of the garden, alternately reading and keeping an eye on the shore line. He had a feeling that along the beach and climb the back entrance to the throne, and he wanted to be there to see.

The more he mullied over the matter, the more his mind became at least open to conviction that the girl was of the canyons, and the mountains, and the desert, the girl to whom there persistently clung the eyes of sage whose step was alert, who had the far distance look in the eyes of the outdoors person, would not have been subjected to the allurements and the temptations of the girl who lives her life at the high pressure of cities. He could see how any girl who was daily dreaming of herself, of fine clothing, daily frequenting over-sea and vulgar sexed picture shows, nightly attending dance halls indifferently peopled with whoever chose to appear, from whatever condition of life it happened to come, could get into serious trouble. He could see how the mad dash in automobiles from one place of amusement to another, how irregular eating of highly seasoned foods, how the loss of sleep, the constant contact with men who had not been rigorously trained in the

habits and customs and ideals of a generation or two back, might have resulted in disaster to girls too young to realize how they were abusing their bodies or imperiling their souls. The more he thought of it, the greater grew his wonder that any girl in such circumstances escaped with her virtue or with sufficient health to finish even a reasonable lifetime. The only thing he knew definitely was that such girls were the kind that he wanted to keep a mile away from. Standing before the glass one morning intently studying his left breast, holding in his hand a pad he meant to apply and strap in place after his inspection, Jamie for the first time was paralyzed with a thought that had not before intruded itself. Examined why he had not thought of that very thing, he did not know. After he did think of it, it seemed to him that it was the one thing he should have thought of first. And he had not.

Any Scot gentleman, truly, in the depths of his heart, places his God and country and his own and those he loves above everything else; he always deeply ingrained in the heart of every Scotsman is the love of money; the place that can be fought with money; the power that can be purchased with money; the comfort that it will give; the assurance that the cold and hunger and misery of the world will be averted. The very first instalment of money that the Bee Master had put in Jamie's fingers had stirred him to the depths of his soul. The fact was that he had never in his life had money that belonged to him to do as he pleased. All the money he ever had had in his possession, was what his father and mother had given him to buy his clothing and to pay for his education, and it tried them sorely to get together sufficient means to do the things most desired for him without providing any luxuries. He never had known what it was to have money in his pockets to spend as he chose, and the result was that his first earnings as the Keeper of the Bees spurred him to the fight that it now seemed possible might end in victory.

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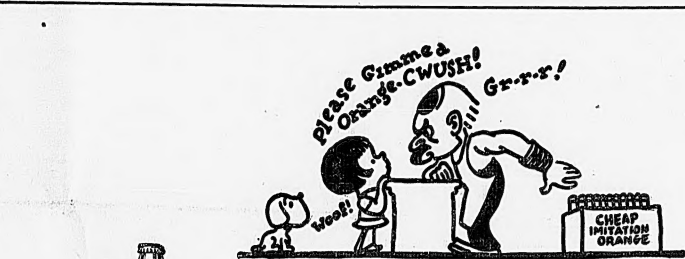
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## MR. TOBIN SPEAKS ON THE BUDGET

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sent there are many soldier settlers and they have wanted this legislation for a number of years. Some of them have left the land, but others have carried on manfully and are doing well under the difficulties of their present position. They will not expect every detail to be made right at once; it cannot be done. I think the attitude of the minister of the interior (Mr. Stewart) who presented the bill for the soldier settlers, must be looked upon favorably by hon. members of this house in that he tried to make changes suggested by the opposition and showed a desire to make the measure conform with the wishes of all parties, as he himself stated in this house.

The old age pension bill is the highest type of legislation and will be welcomed by all fair-minded people. It is our moral duty to see that it becomes law.

Then we have the amendment to the Penitentiaries Act, under which all inmates of penitentiaries are to be allowed to do useful work, a part of the proceeds of that work, I understand, to go to the dependents of the inmate, if he has any; otherwise to be kept in trust for himself. This move by the government is a wise one.

I suppose I need not tell the house that at the present time there is an oil boom in Alberta. While we do not want unreasonable booms, I believe there are good prospects of finding petroleum in that province in large paying quantities, and I suggest to the government that they should take a part in helping to bring about a realization of our hopes in this respect. Every year large tolls are paid by Alberta to the Dominion in permit fees. In order to give you an idea of the amount of those fees, I will state that the total fees for the last current year were \$464,911.

I would suggest to the government that they do one of two things: either give bonuses for the production of oil, say for one or more producing wells in the north of the province, and one or more in the south, or themselves drill wells in those sections.

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In my opinion the government could stimulate oil production in Alberta and it would mean a good deal to the Dominion at large. We firmly believe that there is oil in the province and I hope that the minister will act on the suggestion I have made.

As regards the cattle situation in Alberta, there is some complaint on the ground of duplication of fees. The cattle market is not very attractive today, as the prices are low and the farmer has altogether too many tolls to pay to get any profit out of the business. In the first place he must of course meet transportation charges, and besides this he has to pay feed and auction bills. He complains that at the first town into which he takes his cattle he must pay a veterinary surgeon to examine his stock, and if he ships them through to Winnipeg they must be examined a second time at Calgary or Edmonton. Then there is the condemnation insurance, as I believe it is termed. When the farmer sells his cattle at the stockyards he pays 50c per \$100 by way of insurance, the argument being that though the animals may be in good condition at the time of sale they may afterwards be found to be diseased. In my opinion this condemnation insurance should be abandoned. The people do not know whether the government is running the thing or whether the stockyards are in control of it. I understand that the entire fee is used for administrative purposes, but this notwithstanding, I contend that it should not be charged at all.

In Alberta the people are finding it necessary to engage in other things besides the growing of wheat. In the raising of foxes they have an industry that holds out considerable promise for the future, but there is one anomaly to which I would call the attention of the government. When the fox farmers want an inspector to examine their foundation stock they are obliged in most cases to send to Prince Edward Island, which is a considerable disservice away. That is one of their chief complaints. Some of the provinces have from four to thirteen inspectors, Alberta has not even one. Last year about 1310 foxes were examined in the province. The fox ranchers therefore are anxious to have inspectors located right on the ground.

We have in the province of Alberta some beautiful lakes, many of them being attractive resorts with hundreds of cottages all around. I think the Dominion government might very well supply suitable fish for propagation in these lakes, so as to produce fish, as well as provide good sport at these resorts. Pigeon, Gull and Gull lakes in my district are particularly interesting and something certainly should be done in this regard to improve them as resorts and to make them attractive to fishermen.

Now if you want to encourage immigration to the west and retain the people already there, give them some of the things that make rural life worth while. Certain rural mail deliveries are essential. In Ontario the towns are close together and there are in addition in many parts, mail carriers. In the west our towns are far apart, and we have not that convenience. Surely there should be a fair ratio between the west and the east in the number of rural mail deliveries.

We want more rural mail deliveries in Alberta and I give the house notice that I shall push this matter further at the right time and place.

There is another thing I wish to call to the attention of the house. I refer to the permit system on grain moving westward. You know that when we succeeded in getting a large measure of equalization of freight rates the transportation companies put on what they call a "permit" system, under which a farmer could not ship his grain westward unless he had bottomed at the coast to take his grain. Therefore the grain dealers bought this grain at the Fort William price and naturally where it is to their advantage, they got the lower freight rate and any premium at Vancouver. That has taken place again this year. There was a partial reason for it that a large amount of our grain was dumped. In March of this year the premium on grain westward was 2 1/2 cents a bushel and a spread in the freight rates was nearly 3 cents. The farmer lost this spread because the dealers bought the grain at the Fort William price and naturally when it is to their advantage, shipped it westward, getting the premium themselves. It is not right. It looks to the farmer very much like a swindle, to use a sinister word. The farmer today wants the privilege of taking his grain to the elevator, asking the price at Fort William or Vancouver, and then directing that his grain be sent either east or west according as the price is in his favor. Why not give him this privilege? If the drying facilities are not sufficient they should be supplied.

Then again, a reference to the statistics will show that the price of screenings this year varied from \$9 to \$12 a ton at Vancouver and only from \$3 to \$5 a ton at Fort William. That is what the farmer is losing, and somebody else is the gainer. I want the eye and ear of the Progressive party to this. A spread of a cent a bushel in price is big, but a spread of two cents or more is tremendous. In addition, the farmer also loses the difference in freight. Any man representing Alberta

should be proud of his province. It is a vast rolling prairie with forests in certain parts, well watered with streams and lakes, possessing a rich soil and sheltered and sheltered by the great Rocky mountains. Nature has endowed the province with gas and coal and we do not know what other minerals, and in all we have about the best climate in the whole Dominion.

The province of Alberta has an area of 161,572,000 acres. Of this 97,123,000 acres represents arable land, and we have under cultivation 23,293,053 acres, leaving unoccupied arable land of an acreage of 67,829,947. In a word we have the greatest acreage of unoccupied arable land of any province. Recently our local paper in Wetaskiwin reprinted an article from the Toronto Globe, entitled "A Province to be Envious" and I will read it for the benefit of hon. members:

"With the transfer from Dominion authority to Alberta of the natural resources of that province, the country will observe with particular interest the progress made in development. Alberta coal has already made a reputation, but probably few people realize that it represents 14 per cent of the estimated coal reserves of the world, 72 per cent of those of the British empire and that Alberta coal mines represent an investment of more than \$50,000,000. Something is known of the existence of petroleum fields, and interest is reawakened by recent publication of a report made by Dr. Hume of the geological survey. When it is considered that besides the immense coal deposits, 80,000 square miles of the province have petroleum possibilities, and that, besides, Alberta leads the Dominion in the production of natural gas, it is evident that the wealth of this young province passes far beyond the sphere of agriculture.

Even the most ambitious province should be satisfied with 72,000,000 of land capable of agricultural development, an area large enough to contain the population of the British Isles, but with varied and rich natural resources it has within itself the potentialities of a cosmopolitan nation. Behind the prairies, it is estimated, are 60,000 square miles of merchantable timber. For scores of miles along the Athabasca river are bituminous sands suitable for paving the streets of future cities. Extensive shale and clay deposits lie in the southeast. It has building stone, salt and bentonite. Its fisheries are worth hundreds of thousands of dollars per year. And what may be beneath the surface in addition to the known resources may offer almost untold possibilities for development.

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The main concern of the Province is that of Administration. Public Health, Maintenance of Law and Order, Transportation, Education, Industrial and Agricultural Welfare, are among the principal functions of the Government of Alberta.

Administration and legislation can be best handled by a non-party government.

The U.F.A. system of Government is one of co-operation with other representatives in the interest of the Province. The party system is one of opposition.

The party system is organized from the top down, the U.F.A. system is organized from the bottom up. Under the U.F.A. system the power is with the people. It is not contended that the new system is perfect, but it is a big step in advance.

The political parties in Alberta are subject to dictation from their respective headquarters in Ottawa. The U.F.A. representatives are responsible only to the people of Alberta. Recent events have proved the necessity of having a Government in Alberta not subject to outside dictation.

All over the world the party system is breaking down.

The Alberta Government is not a class Government. It has always been prepared to cooperate with representatives of all interests elected to the legislature.

Your only choice in this election is between the U.F.A. system of Democratic Government and the party system. There is no alternative.

"In the wake of the party system had followed corruption."—J. T. Shaw, Nov. 1921.

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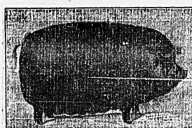
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## ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM FAR AND NEAR

France is experiencing an increase in drinking with the accompanying increase in alcoholism as a disease. 10 per cent of the men treated in Paris hospitals can trace their sickness to the use of alcohol.

The cost of the advertisements in about thirty of the leading American magazines last year was \$134,000,000, of which tremendous sum the Saturday Evening Post received \$400,000, and the Ladies' Home Journal \$14,000,000.

At Mount Holyoke college for women in Massachusetts, one of the leading schools for women in the States, the girls each year elect one of their number as "the perfect girl." This year the honor has fallen to Miss Fumiko Mitani, of Kyoto, Japan.

Any London telephone subscriber can call up a subscriber in Berlin and have a three-minute chat with him any time between six in the evening and seven in the morning. It is an experimental arrangement, and if it is successful it is hoped to set up a day and night service, when a cable is ready from England to an island three miles from the Hook of Holland. The three minute talk is not exactly cheap; it is 15s before 8 p.m. and 3s. 7d. after that.

## Here and There

On May 16 two hundred new Scottish settlers arrived on the Canadian Pacific liner "Metagama" in charge of Father R. A. MacDonnell, managing director of the Scottish Immigration Aid Society. This is the second consignment of settlers brought out this year under the Clan Donald plan.

The well-known comic strip artist, Clare Briggs, of "Mr. and Mrs." fame, arrived in Montreal recently with six New York newspaper men. They then went up to the Laurentian mountains for some trout fishing on Lake Archambault and streams in the immediate vicinity of St. Donat Church.

A. L. Rawlinson, passenger agent, and Victor Collignon, chief clerk of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Antwerp, have been appointed as Officers of the Order of the Roumanian Crown by His Majesty, King of Roumania, for services rendered in connection with the general handling of Roumanian passengers at the port of Antwerp.

An innovation is now in use along the Laurentian run of the Canadian Pacific Railway in the form of two hospital cars which will meet any demand which arises or urgent calls that may occur in cases of illness. First-class cars have been converted into hospital rooms in such a way as to easily take care of four or five sick persons.

A record single shipment of Indian motorcycles, consisting of 85 cases from Amory, Mass., recently arrived in Tokyo, having come forward by Canadian Pacific rail and steamer lines. The demand for motorcycles in Japan is steadily increasing as this is considered a cheap and convenient method of locomotion and well suited to the somewhat narrow roads of the country.

Work on the New Grand Hotel at Yokohama, Japan, started in March after various citizens had pleaded with the municipality for at least one good hotel for one of the main ports of their Empire. The hotel structure will be of concrete with a steel frame and four stories in height. The estimated cost is \$1,150,000. Furnishings are expected to cost another \$350,000, bringing the total cost to \$2,500,000.

Initiative and resource shown by the Foreign Department of the Dominion Express Company went far to neutralize, if not entirely nullify, shipping troubles during the recent general strike in England. A fleet of motor trucks in London, Manchester, Bradford and Liverpool carried out receipts and deliveries in the usual manner thereby eliminating any ill effects to the British-Canadian trade during the period of the strike.

The English Football Team now touring Canada was met at Quebec, where they arrived on the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Scotland," by Samuel Davidson, Secretary of the Dominion Football Association. The team played the first game in Montreal and then went on to carry out the schedule at Hamilton, Toronto, Fort William, Winnipeg, Regina, Lethbridge, Calgary, Vancouver, Nanaimo, Victoria, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Timmins. The tour ends July 14.

Travellers who arrived on the "Empress of Russia" from the Far East, and who crossed Canada in order to connect with the sailing of the "Empress of France" from Quebec late in May, stated that action had been started for the stabilization of China and the end of brigand rule. Under the chairmanship of Sun Yen, son of the late president of Southern China, Dr. Sun Yat Sen, a meeting was held which may result in the coalition of all the forces of order in China.

## MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. O. Cartier is visiting her son at St. Paul de Metis.

We are glad to see Mrs. C. Wagner around again after her recent illness. Pete Moonen and Arthur Cartier have purchased a twenty-two inch breaking plow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Christie and Miss Evelyn motored to Camrose for the week end.

Rev. J. B. Howard and Mrs. Howard spent a few days of last week in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. McAllister with Master Gault and Miss Marjorie, spent the week-end in Edmonton.

During the summer months the evening services in the United church will open at 8 o'clock instead of 7:30.

The baseball game on Wednesday last resulted in a victory of 9 to 4 for West Union.

A social in aid of the Anglican church is to be held on June 30th. Further announcements later.

Miss Robbins, sister of Mrs. A. H. Parker, who has been on a visit for some weeks, returned to Calgary on Wednesday.

Mrs. Just was taken to the Royal Alexandra hospital on Tuesday and is reported as making good progress toward recovery.

An automobile on wheels adapted to the railway track passed through Millet one day last week and was an object of interest to many.

Mr. Brisard had the misfortune to have his home destroyed by fire one day last week. Nothing of the contents were saved.

Mr. O. Roseberg of the Millet Garage has installed a British American filling tank of ten gallon capacity, operated by a clear vision pump.

Mr. Udell of Donalda has purchased a quarter section of land from Mr. Shookweller recently and has moved to this location with his family.

A new house has been built on the property of Mr. Little—this property was recently purchased from Mr. W. McAllister.

Miss Bertha Truscott of Edmonton, who has been in Calgary for the past year attending normal school, was the guest of Mrs. Graham over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Parker, Miss Robbins, Ethel and Tommy, were in Edmonton to hear "No, No, Nanette" at the New Empire theatre on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Truscott and three daughters, Misses Florence, Edna and Eva, motored from Edmonton on Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Graham. Mrs. Truscott remaining for a few days.

On June 4th, the ladies of the Millet Catholic church conducted a "draw" for the special ticket—No. 83. The amount raised on Friday night and Saturday afternoon was \$65.10.

The annual Clean Up Day at the Millet cemetery will take place on Friday, June 18th. Every one is requested to get there early and help. Don't forget—tell your neighbor and be there yourself!

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Belmont passed away on Tuesday last week after a very sudden and short illness. The funeral was held from the local Baptist church, on Friday, Rev. Mr. Wahl conducting the service. A large number of friends gathered in expression of sympathy for the bereaved parents.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Peacy motored to Edmonton on Sunday where they were joined by their daughter, Mrs. Harrison, and Mr. Harrison, manager of the west end branch of the Imperial Bank, the party proceeding to Lamont to visit Mrs. McColeman. Mrs. Peacy's sister, who is recovering from a recent illness. They returned to Millet on Monday.

Start on New Railway Soon  
Promise has been given of an early start on construction of the Calgary and Southwestern railway, a line calculated to tap coal reserves in the foothills southwest of Calgary. Certain changes of route for the railway were authorized in the recent session of the legislature.

J. F. LYMBURN IS SWORN IN  
J. F. Lymburn, who recently accepted the portfolio of attorney general in the Brownlee cabinet, was sworn in at the parliament buildings at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, and immediately after receiving the congratulations of friends and officials went into the offices of the department to make himself acquainted with the staff.

## LEST YE FORGET

There is one June the 13th in every year, but it does not always come on a Friday as it does this year. This year, Friday, June 13th is a very important day in the Millet district. This is the day that all inhabitants of the district place above all days, this is the day that the storekeepers close their doors for at least a few hours, farmers and everyone get together, hitch up their horses, or fill their cars with gasoline, gather all the family together and start for the Millet cemetery, for the annual clean up. Last year not many turned out, but this year everyone that can possibly do so will be on the job bright and early, helping to cut down the brush, gather up the litter and help to beautify the graves of the departed. Let your neighbors know. Dinner will be served. Make an effort to give at least one day for the benefit of the community. Bring a rake, shovel, or anything that will keep you busy, so that at the end of the day as you stand your way home you will feel that you have accomplished something you are proud of.

## COMMUNICATION

Editor, Wetaskiwin Times:  
Dear Sir—As the question of fighting noxious weeds is one of the most serious for the future of agricultural prosperity in this province, most of the municipalities have appointed weed inspectors.

If any person can give any information with regard to any infected fields or yards in the Nitgstone M.D. No. 453, will be kindly send word to the inspector, Robert C. Young, Millet. All communications will be treated with the strictest confidence. The weeds which are the most trouble comes from, are Stinkweed, Perennial Sow Thistle, which has a creeping root, Wild Mustard (not wild mustard), blue lettuce and wild oats.

The inspector will be glad to receive samples of weeds for identification; a good portion of the root should be sent.

Thanking you for the use of your valuable space, I am, yours faithfully,  
Robert C. Young.

## NEEDLES INSTEAD OF SWORDS

Of all the post-war adjustments in the world of industry, none is more interesting than that going on in the city of Sheffield, England. When its chief products, armor, big guns and heavy munitions, were no longer in demand after the war, and the disarmament conference made them a drag on the market for all time, literally thousands of people, in this one place alone, were thrown out of work. Heads of the great steel works did their best to convert their machinery to peace time uses, and by making needles and knives and other articles of light steel, have managed to keep the wheels of industry moving through this very trying period of readjustment. Within the past two years employment has been cut from 50,000 to 20,000, which indicates the progress that has been made. Every time you buy a piece of Sheffield cutlery, instead of one of foreign make, you are helping to relieve the situation in this great steel center of the old world.

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## THE LIMIT

"You are the limit," said one girl to another.

The expression is too well known to call for an explanation. Riding in a street car, I looked out and saw a sign which read as follows: "Smith Manufacturing Company, Limited." The company wanted everyone to know that its stockholders were limited in their liabilities by the amount of stock which they owned.

Taking a transfer, and looking for another car, I saw marked on the window the words, "The City Limita." As my car approached, my eyes fell on a parking sign which read "Parking Limit, forty minutes."

I naturally concluded that I was living in a world of limitations. As I mused, however, I began to ask myself how many people were going to the limit along lines of noble endeavor. There is no question but what a very large number are doing so in pleasure seeking, and prodigality as well. Of all the crowd of people who ride in the street cars, how few there are who go to the city limits! When the car reaches its destination, you see only a few lone passengers struggling out. It is much the same with the use we make of our physical and intellectual powers. The large majority of people only breathe with a portion of their lung power. There are cells in the lungs which get little oxygen, because of an absence of deep breathing. There are also muscles of the body which are almost atrophied because they are seldom, if ever used. How very small is the percentage of persons who can boast of attaining the physical strength of Sandoz? Where are the runners today who can compete with the winners of the ancient marathon? Then think of how self-satisfied we are with mediocre mental attainments. We hear our friends constantly exclaiming themselves for their poor memories, and yet, in Homer's time whole chapters of his Iliad were committed to memory and sung by the bards of his day. Imagine the brain of a man who after scanning fifty articles in an embryo, can turn away from it and exclaim every article, without an omission.

Why cannot we do these things? The answer is at hand. We do not apply ourselves. The job is too exacting in its nature. We do not allow ourselves to be kept up to high endeavor. We leave this sort of thing for the one we call an expert. We smother the faculties that make the steam which propels the ship. We check the drafts and allow the flues to gather soot. We go twenty miles an hour when our capacity is fifty. We occasionally taste the joy of a sprint, but we do not care to keep up the pace. It is rather a humiliating confession to make that ninety-nine per cent of mankind are going through life doing their second best.

Edgar Guest, the popular Detroit poet, has a unique little poem on "Good Enough," of which the last two lines run as follows:

"For this is true of men and stuff  
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## Provincial Weekly News Bulletin

## To Use Alberta Coal

It is stated officially that the Canadian National Railways will use 1,200,000 tons of Alberta coal during the coming year on its lines in western Canada.

## Norse Centennial

Arrangements for the Norse celebration to be held at Camrose in the first week in July are now being completed. Norsemen from all over Canada and from the United States will be in attendance. Three special trainloads of visitors are expected. Special exhibits of products of the province will be set up.

## Highway Convention

The 1926 convention of the Alberta Highway Association will be held in Lethbridge in August.

## Mill to be Completed

The construction of the big Spillville mill at Calgary is to be completed.

this year, and the mill is expected to be ready for operation in October.

## New Attorney General

Announcement was made during the week of the acceptance of the post of attorney general in the Alberta government by John P. Lymburn, Edmonton lawyer. Hon. Mr. Lymburn has been sworn into office and will enter the provincial election this month, for one of the five Edmonton seats. He takes the portfolio which has been held by Premier Brownlee since 1921.

## BORN

McDOUGALL.—In the Wetaskiwin hospital, on the 6th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McDougall, of Ponoka, a daughter.

OCHS.—Near Wetaskiwin, on the 26th ult., to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Och, a daughter.

## BANK OF MONTREAL

Established 1817

Summary of  
Assets and Liabilities  
30th April, 1926

## ASSETS

Gold, Dominion Notes, and Silver coin	\$ 74,520,656.28
Deposits with Central Gold Reserve	15,000,000.00
Deposits made with and Balances due from other Banks in Canada	148,397.03
Balance due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	17,224,879.98
Call and Short Notes on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	142,496,636.35
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities	93,456,444.71
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	3,566,104.06
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian	33,599,667.70
Notes and cheques of other Banks	25,507,822.63
United States and other foreign currencies	1,259,374.65
Loans and Discounts and other Assets	317,820,255.83
Bank Premises	11,950,000.00
Liabilities of customers under letters of credit (as per contra)	12,581,897.30
	\$749,132,357.12

## LIABILITIES TO PUBLIC

Notes in circulation	\$ 41,674,442.00
Deposits	612,412,158.75
Letters of credit outstanding	12,581,897.30
Other liabilities	790,561.31
	\$687,459,056.96

Excess of Assets over Liabilities to Public \$61,673,300.16

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WETASKIWIN

## Church and Sunday School

IMMANUEL CHURCH  
Sunday, June 13—  
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
10 a.m.—Sunday school.  
3 p.m. Service at Doherty residence.  
7:30 p.m.—Evensong.  
Rev. A. A. Adams.SCANDINAVIAN BAPTIST  
P. M. Meyer, MinisterSunday, June 13—  
Wetaskiwin—Sunday school, 11 a.m.  
Service, 8 p.m.  
Crooked Lake school, service at 12:30 and 2:30. Lunch served at 12:30.  
Tuesday and Friday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meetings in Wetaskiwin.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting at Nashville.

BETHLEHEM SWED. LUTHERAN  
Rev. O. H. Miller, Pastor  
Sunday, June 13—  
10:30 a.m.—Morning service.  
12:30 a.m.—Sunday school.  
At Zion, Hay Lake—3 p.m., gospel service.

At Calmar—2 p.m., gospel service.

ST. JOHN'S EV. LUTHERAN  
(Pleasant Prairie)  
Rev. H. G. H. Klingbeil, B.A., Pastor  
Sunday, June 13—  
10 a.m.—Sunday school.  
11 a.m.—services.  
5 p.m.—German service at J. Lang's home.8 p.m.—English service at Porto Bello school.  
Sunday school every Sunday at Porto Bello school.ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN  
Rev. P. C. McCrae, Minister  
Sunday, June 13—  
Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday school at 12:15.  
Service at Brightview, 3 p.m.  
Everybody welcome.WANG LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Sunday, June 13—  
11 a.m.—Sermon by Rev. O. K. Blomelle.  
2 p.m.—Introduction by Rev. N. Braas.  
8 p.m.—English addresses by Rev. T. J. Oppedahl and Prof. A. H. Solheim.

Monday and Tuesday, discussion of Lake 13, 2:30 p.m. will be continued.

Rev. A. O. Dorlaug.

WETASKIWIN UNITED CHURCH  
Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D., Minister  
Sunday, June 13—  
11 a.m.—The Lord's Supper.  
7:30 p.m.—"The Joy of the Christian Life."  
10 a.m.—Sunday school.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service.

A preparatory service will be held Friday evening, June 11, at 8 o'clock when new members will be received either by certificate or on profession of faith.

The session will meet Friday June 11 at 7:30 p.m.

ANGUS RIDGE SCHOOL  
Sunday, June 13—  
Sunday, June 6—  
2 p.m.—Service of Worship for all the community.  
3 p.m.—Sunday school.

Rev. A. L. Elliott will be in charge.

Mrs. Handell of Fort Saskatchewan came down a few days ago to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacEachern, and renew old acquaintances.

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Special at .....49  
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Special at .....49  
6c Social Huggies Candy .....05  
Special at .....39  
5c Mixed Fruit Drops .....25  
Special at .....19  
English Chocolate Bars .....25  
Special at .....19  
5c Rose and Violet Toiletum .....19  
Special at .....07  
The Gibbs' English super fatted Cold Cream Soap .....19  
Special at .....19  
5c Bar of Castle Soap .....25  
Special at .....19  
5c Insect Powder Guns .....25  
Special at .....49  
6c Wetaskiwin Penknives .....1.25  
Half Gallon Shoo Fly for Live Stock, Special at .....1.00  
3 of 2c Parke Davis Co. Creams. A special

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## COMMUNICATION

Editor, Wetaskiwin Times:

Dear Sir—I congratulate Mr. Hodson for writing a very illuminating first paragraph of his article which appeared in this paper on June 3rd. The above mentioned paragraph is about the only part of his series of articles that is worth considering. It is quite evident that all old party egos and bearings are doing their best to discredit the administration of the U.F.A. government, but apparently they have no real grounds for doing so, except for having a desire to get into power.

In the second paragraph Mr. Hodson states "that of the three parties, there are only two that are representative of all classes of people, and that the other one classed to represent farmers only." Surely when Mr. Hodson stated that, he must have realized that he then hit more than is good for digestion. To further explain the difference between two classes of governments is indeed a hard task for an old party ego or leader, as he is conscious himself that it is detrimental to his goal which is closely resembling the "Tammany Hall" that it is impossible to perceive the difference. The Tammany society were practicing all kinds of unfair ways to get into power, and so are the old parties.

If we look back into the last federal election, what has been done by the party leaders to rectify the matter? What has been done in provincial affairs previous to present administration? Can any of the old party participants explain what happened to \$5,820 that are missing from the public treasury? Can any reason be given for having lavishly squandered the public money in order to win the provincial election?

The people of Alberta know these things and the people of this constituency realize that by far the parties are resembling much closer to "Tammany Hall" than any other political movement that is in existence in Alberta. It is about time for some of the party leaders to recognize the old saying "that you can fool all the people part of the time and some of the people all the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time," and quit their fooling as the people are onto their game now.

It is a fact that when previous governments were appealing to the public, they were always making a series of promises, but the present government is appealing on their past record only. Which party are we to support? The one that appeals on the past record, or the one that is ashamed to mention their past record? Are we going to support the old party candidates who after election seem to declare, "I have no brain of my own, but I will support whatever my leader says" or present type of government that broke away from the primitive custom of resigning when a government motion is defeated and therefore gives the privilege to every member to speak and vote to the best advantage of the province. We have read lots of stories about the fox and the crow. Now we, the citizens of Alberta are the crows this time, so look out for the old party fox.

Further referring to Mr. Hodson's articles, I wish to state fairly, that a teacher's first qualifications are to know more than his pupils, but it is evident and unfortunate that Mr. Hodson does not possess these qualifications, judging from his previous statements about the U.F.A. political movements, or when he read his articles that the reduction of duty would not affect the prices on cars (on Ford's particularly). The duty was reduced on cars and the prices went down, even the Ford prices, of which Mr. Hodson seemed to be so sure that it would not.

Peter Kubyn.

Gwynne

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The baseball game was well worth watching. Gwynne defeated the Verdun girls, who were jolly good losers.

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MATCHES, Pine Tree Per package	.29
MACARONI, Dominion 8 ounce packages, each	.07
OLIVES, Stuffed 8 ounce bottles, each	.33
TOILET PAPER, 7 packages for	.25
SOAP FLAKES, Princess Per package	.19
ULKA, A fruit drink, each package makes a quart	.13
ORANGES, Per dozen	.30

DON'T FORGET THE KIWANIS CARNIVAL

## Neighborhood NEWS

## BITTERN LAKE

Little Donald Wright, who has been very ill with measles, is now recovering.

Mrs. Eames, Mrs. G. A. Turnquist and son, spent last Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. Chambers, of Bittern Lake.

Mr. Fred Broden made a business trip to Wetaskiwin on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Patenaude and Miss Patenaude spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Turnquist of Bittern Lake. Mrs. Eames, who has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Turnquist, returned to her home on Monday.

## LONE RIDGE

The monthly meeting of the Lone Ridge U.F.A. was held in the Lone Ridge hall on Thursday last week. There was a good attendance to hear the report of the delegates to the U.F.A. political convention.

A committee was appointed to arrange the program for a service to be held in the Lone Ridge hall on Sunday, June 20.

It was arranged to hold the annual picnic on July 9th, and the following committees were appointed: sports, P. Greeney, L. Martel, C. Cummings, Mrs. Cummings; stand, Mrs. O. A. Brown, Mrs. O. G. Olson and Mrs. E. E. Sparks.

A card party and dance will be held in the Lone Ridge hall on June 18th.

## LARCH TREE

We're glad to hear that Mrs. Murray is improving after her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Christie, and Miss Christie and Mr. Walter Miller were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haining of Bittern Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerke entertained their neighbors last Thursday evening, all reporting a good time.

The Larch Tree school basketball girls will be playing with the Hillside team on June 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Christie are around taking the census of this community this week.

Mr. Douglas Murray has purchased a new car.

Miss A. Smith is busy these days preparing for the examinations in the near future.

Mrs. Woods is entertaining the in-laws at her home on Wednesday of this week.

Bob Dahms is driving a new Ford sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Christie have purchased a new Ford touring car.

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Our week-end specials will save you money on our grocery bills. Good from issue of paper until Saturday night.

SHREDDED WHEAT 2 packages 25c

Cooking Figs, 3 lbs 29c | Cooking Dates 3 lbs 29c

CANNED CORN 2 cans 25c

KRAFT CHEESE  
Half pound pkg 22c  
One pound pkg 40c

Shelled Walnuts light meat quarters, per lb 39c

Home Rendered Lard 3 lb pail ..... 65c  
Pure Clover Honey 2 1/2 lb pail ..... 45c  
5 lb pail ..... \$1.10  
5 lb pail ..... 80cPRESERVING STRAWBERRIES  
We would advise our customers to buy their berries this week.

You are invited to attend the KIWANIS CARNIVAL in the Curling Rink on June 29th-30th - July 1st.

## The Royal Market

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## WETASKIWIN MARKETS

Wednesday, June 9, 1926

No. 1 Northern	1.30
No. 2 Northern	1.25
No. 3 Northern	1.21
No. 4 Northern	1.11
No. 5 Northern	1.03
No. 6 Northern	.89
Feed Wheat	.74
Oats	.72
Barley	.35
Rye	.51
Hogs	13.50
Steers	4.00
Cows	3.00
Sheep	6.00
Eggs (extras)	.20
Eggs (firsts)	.18
Eggs (seconds)	.14
Butter	.25

STRAWBERRY JAM, Pure Glass, 4 pound pails, each .83  
MAPLE SYRUP, Berry's Pure, one quart tins, each .88  
PICKLES, in quart bottles each .55  
NAVY BEANS .50  
BLUE CAN PEAS Standard 2 tins for .....35  
CLASSIC CLEANSER 2 tins for .....25  
HEINZ TOMATO SOUP 2 tins for .....25  
STANDARD TOMATOES 2 tins for .....25  
MACARONI, 5 pound boxes, each .....49  
SULTANA RAISINS, Bleached, per pound .....20  
SALADA TEA, Per pound .....74  
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